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Sir:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicant brings to the attention of the Examiner the listed documents on the attached PTO SB/08 Form. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and before the mailing date of a first Office Action in the above-referenced application.

The documents on the attached listing were cited in related U.S. patent applications, and are being brought to the Examiner's attention in an attempt to comply with the disclosure requirements set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and *Dayco Prod., Inc. v. Total Containment, Inc.*, 329 F.3d 1358, 1365-1369, 66 USPQ2d 1801, 1806-1808 (Fed. Cir. 2003). *See also* MPEP §§ 2001.06 and 2001.06(b). Copies of the listed foreign and non-patent literature documents are attached. Copies of the U.S. patents are not enclosed. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

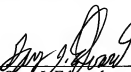
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